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<b>Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b>	<b>Applicant(s)</b>	
	10/540,089	BRANEMARK, PER-INGVAR	
	Examiner Nicholas Woodall	Art Unit 3733	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 15 May 2007.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference  
c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.

If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_.

Claim(s) discussed: 11-26 and 30-34.

Identification of prior art discussed: Moore (U.S. Patent 6,402,757).

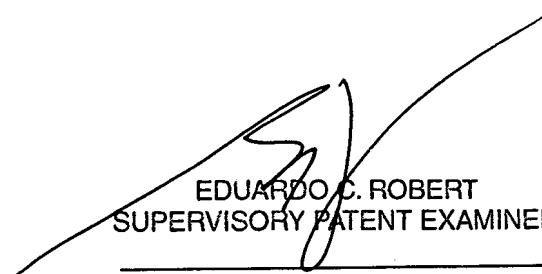
Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

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(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The rejection of claims 11-26 and 30-34 under 35 U.S.C. 103 over Moore in view of Branemark in the final office action mailed on 02/26/2007 appears to be overcome by the applicant's proposed arguments. The applicant explained that Figure 1 of the final office action is related to a tool and not to a cross section of the fastener as interpreted by the examiner. The objection to the drawings was also discussed with the applicant and the objection will be withdrawn. The applicant was advised to formally submit the arguments for further consideration by the examiner.